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- [] within three months of the application filing date;
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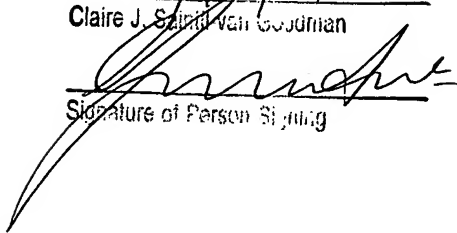
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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98,
applicants wish to call the attention of the Examiner to the
following documents:

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Kline	Des. 225,858	(01/09/73)
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Busch	Des. 335,660	(05/18/93)
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OTHER DOCUMENTS

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The aforementioned documents are listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 (submitted in duplicate).

It is respectfully requested that these documents be printed on any patent which may issue on this application. Applicants respectfully request that a copy of Form PTO-1449, as considered and initialed by the Examiner, be returned with the next communication.

The undersigned understands that each of the trading keyboards identified under the heading "OTHER DOCUMENTS" is prior art to the above-identified application.

In addition, applicants wish to call the attention of the Examiner to the following U.S. patent applications:

Gilbert et al.	No. 10/113,841	(03/29/02)
Sweeting	No. 10/171,009	(06/11/02)
Sweeting et al.	No. 10/640,829	(08/13/03)
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Copies of the all of the aforementioned documents are enclosed herewith. It is respectfully requested that these documents be fully considered by the Patent and Trademark Office during examination of this application.

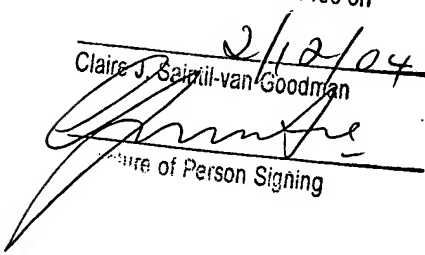
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